

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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Michihiro Ohnishi et al.)	Group Art Unit: 1634
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Application No.: 10/550,302)	Examiner: Forman, Betty J.
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Filed: September 22, 2005)	Confirmation No.: 1171
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For: MICROCHIP, KIT FOR)	
EXTRACTING NUCLEIC ACID)	
AND EXTRACTING METHOD FOR)	
NUCLEIC ACID)	

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

A petition for a one-month extension of time to respond to the final Office Action of May 14, 2010, was filed on September 14, 2010, extending the period for response to September 14, 2010. Applicants petition for a further two-month extension of time to file a reply to the Office Action. A fee of \$980.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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GARRETT & DUNNER, L.L.P.

Dated: November 12, 2010

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